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# Barrier Rebate Securities Linked to a Global Index Basket 1 year Maturity ■ 20% Return Barrier ■ 10% Buffer 5.25%-7.25% Rebate

Indicative Terms & Conditions – October 2, 2007 Offering Period: O

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#### **Summary Terms**

**Issuer** : Deutsche Bank AG, London Branch (Moody's Aa1)<sup>†</sup>

Offering : Barrier Rebate Securities Linked to a Global Index Basket due November 5,

2008 (the "Securities")

**Denominations** : \$1,000 per Security (minimum investment \$1,000)

**Basket** : The Securities are linked to a basket consisting of the following three indices

(the "Basket Indices"):

• S&P 500® Index (Bloomberg: SPX <Index>)

• Dow Jones EURO STOXX 50® Index (Bloomberg: SX5E <Index>)

• Nikkei® 225 Index (Bloomberg: NKY <Index>)

**Term** : 1 year

Initial Basket Level : 100

**Final Basket Level** : The Basket closing level on the Final Valuation Date, calculated as follows:

100 x [1 + (S&P Return x 33.34%) + (EURO STOXX Return x 33.33%) +

(Nikkei Return x 33.33%)]

where the "S&P Return," "EURO STOXX Return," and "Nikkei Return" are the performances of the respective Basket Indices, each expressed as a percentage, from the respective index closing level on the Trade Date to the

respective index closing level on any trading day.

Return Barrier : 20% Basket Barrier : 120

**Buffer Level** : 10% of the Initial Basket Level (first 10% depreciation of the Basket is fully

protected)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup> A credit rating is not a recommendation to buy, sell or hold securities, and may be subject to revision at any time by the assigning rating agency.



**Basket Return** : (Final Basket Level – Initial Basket Level) / Initial Basket Level **Rebate** : 5.25% – 7.25% (to be determined on the Trade Date)

**Observation Period**: The period starting on (and including) the Trade Date through (and

including) the Final Valuation Date

**Payment at Maturity**: If the closing level of the Basket was not greater than the Basket Barrier on any trading day during the Observation Period, at maturity you will receive a

cash payment per \$1,000 Security face amount determined as follows:

 If the Final Basket Level is greater than or equal to the Initial Basket Level:

\$1,000 + \$1,000 x Basket Return.

• If the Final Basket Level declines from the Initial Basket Level, and such decline is equal to or less than the Buffer Level:

\$1,000

• If the Final Basket Level declines from the Initial Basket Level, and such decline is greater than the Buffer Level:

 $1,000 + 1,000 \times (Basket Return + Buffer Level)$ 

If the closing level of the Basket was greater than the Basket Barrier on at least one trading day during the Observation Period, at maturity you will receive a cash payment per \$1,000 Security face amount determined as follows:

• If the Final Basket Level declines from the Initial Basket Level, and such decline is greater than the Buffer Level:

\$1,000 + \$1,000 x (Basket Return + Buffer Level + Rebate)

Otherwise:

 $1,000 + 1,000 \times Rebate$ 

Listing : Unlisted – Indicative secondary pricing may be obtained on Bloomberg Page:

DBUS <GO> or on the X-markets website at http://www.usxmarkets.db.com

**Business Days** : London and New York (following business day convention)

**Form of Security** : Global, Book-Entry. The Securities will be represented by a single registered

global security deposited with The Depository Trust Company

**Agents** : Deutsche Bank Securities Inc. and Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas

Discounts and Commissions

The Agents will not receive a commission in connection with the sale of the Securities. The Agents may pay referral fees to other broker-dealers of up to 0.50% or \$5.00 per \$1,000 Security face amount. Deutsche Bank AG may pay custodial fees to other broker-dealers of up to 0.25% or \$2.50 per

\$1,000 Security face amount.

Security Codes : CUSIP: 2515A0 FE 8

ISIN: US2515A0FE82



## **Relevant Dates**

Initial Valuation Date : October 25, 2007
Initial Settlement Date : October 30, 2007
Final Valuation Date : October 31, 2008
Maturity / Final : November 5, 2008

**Settlement Date** 



# **Product Snapshot**

#### **Indicative Terms**

#### Structure:

• **Basket:** The S&P 500® Index (Bloomberg: SPX <Index>)

The EURO STOXX 50® (Bloomberg: SX5E <Index>)

The Nikkei® 225 (Bloomberg: NKY <Index>)

• Maturity: November 5, 2008

Return Barrier: 20%Buffer Level: 10%

Rebate: 5.25% - 7.25% (to be determined on the Trade Date)
 Downside Risk: One-for-one downside participation with 10% Buffer

#### **Positioning:**

• Equity alternative that facilitates a moderately bullish view on the Basket.

• Fixed income return in the form of a Rebate in the event the Basket Barrier is breached.

#### **Best Case Scenario:**

• Investors will receive a return of their initial investment multiplied by the Basket Return paid at maturity up and including to the Basket Barrier.

#### **Worst Case Scenario:**

- 10% of the initial investment in the Securities is protected at maturity by the Buffer Level.
- If the Basket declines below the Initial Basket Level by more than the Buffer Level, an investment in the Securities may decline by 1% for every 1% decline in the Basket below the Buffer Level of 10%.
- Maximum loss is 90% of the initial investment, subject to the credit of the Issuer.

#### **Risk Considerations:**

- Because the Securities are not 100% principal protected, and the return on the Securities is linked to the performance of the Basket, investors may lose up to 90% of their initial investment.
- Return on the Securities is linked to the value of the Basket (without taking into consideration the value of dividends paid on the component stocks underlying the Basket Indices).
- An investment in the Securities is subject to the credit of the Issuer.

Investing in the Securities involves a number of risks. See "Selected Risk Factors" in this product snapshot, "Selected Risk Considerations" in the accompanying term sheet and "Risk Factors" in the accompanying product supplement.



#### **Hypothetical Scenario Analysis at Maturity:**

- Hypothetical scenario analysis contained herein does not reflect the reinvestment of dividends and does not reflect advisory fees, brokerage or other commissions, or any other expenses an investor may incur in connection with the Securities.
- No representation is made that any trading strategy or account will, or is likely to, achieve results similar to those shown. Hypothetical results are neither an indicator nor guarantee of future returns. Actual results will vary, perhaps materially, from the analysis below.

The table below illustrates the payment at maturity per \$1,000 Security face amount for a hypothetical range of performance for the Basket from -100% to +100% in the case where the closing level of the Basket was not greater than the Basket Barrier on any trading day during the Observation Period and in the case where the closing level of the Basket was greater than the Basket Barrier on at least one trading day during the Observation Period.

The following results are based solely on the hypothetical example cited and assume a Rebate of 6.25% (the actual Rebate will be determined on the Trade Date). You should consider carefully whether the Securities are suitable to your investment goals. The numbers appearing in the table below have been rounded for ease of analysis.

		Closing Level of the Basket not Greater than the Basket Barrier on any Trading Day During the Observation Period		Closing Level of the Basket Greater than the Basket Barrier on at Least One Trading Day During the Observation Period	
Final Basket Level	Basket Return	Payment at Maturity	Return on Security	Payment at Maturity	Return on Security
200	100.00%	n/a	n/a	\$1,062.50	6.25%
150	50.00%	n/a	n/a	\$1,062.50	6.25%
125	25.00%	n/a	n/a	\$1,062.50	6.25%
120	20.00%	\$1,200.00	20%	\$1,062.50	6.25%
115	15.00%	\$1,150.00	15%	\$1,062.50	6.25%
110	10.00%	\$1,100.00	10%	\$1,062.50	6.25%
105	5.00%	\$1,050.00	5%	\$1,062.50	6.25%
100	0.00%	\$1,000.00	0%	\$1,062.50	6.25%
95	-5.00%	\$1,000.00	0%	\$1,062.50	6.25%
90	-10.00%	\$1,000.00	0%	\$1,062.50	6.25%
85	-15.00%	\$950.00	-5%	\$1,012.50	1.25%
80	-20.00%	\$900.00	-10%	\$962.50	-3.75%
75	-25.00%	\$850.00	-15%	\$912.50	-8.75%
50	-50.00%	\$600.00	-40%	\$662.50	-33.75%
0	-100.00%	\$100.00	-90%	\$162.50	-83.75%



### **Selected Risk Factors**

- YOUR INVESTMENT IN THE SECURITIES MAY RESULT IN A LOSS Your investment will be
  exposed to any decline in the Final Basket Level, as compared to the Initial Basket Level, beyond
  the 10% Buffer Level. Accordingly, you could lose up to \$900 for each \$1,000 Security face
  amount that you invest.
- CERTAIN BUILT-IN COSTS ARE LIKELY TO ADVERSELY AFFECT THE VALUE OF THE SECURITIES PRIOR TO MATURITY The original issue price of the Securities includes the agents' commission and the cost of hedging our obligations under the Securities through one or more of our affiliates. As a result, the price, if any, at which Deutsche Bank AG or its affiliates will be willing to purchase Securities from you prior to maturity in secondary market transactions, if at all, will likely be lower than the original issue price, and any such sale prior to the Maturity Date could result in a substantial loss to you.
- WE ARE ONE OF THE COMPANIES THAT MAKE UP THE DOW JONES EURO STOXX 50® INDEX, BUT WE ARE NOT AFFILIATED WITH ANY OTHER COMPANY INCLUDED IN THE DOW JONES EURO STOXX 50® INDEX, THE NIKKEI® 225 INDEX OR THE S&P 500® INDEX
- THE BASKET RETURN FOR THE SECURITIES WILL NOT BE ADJUSTED FOR CHANGES IN EXCHANGE RATES RELATED TO THE U.S. DOLLAR THAT MIGHT AFFECT THE DOW JONES EURO STOXX 50® INDEX OR THE NIKKEI® 225 INDEX



- CHANGES IN THE VALUE OF THE BASKET INDICES MAY OFFSET EACH OTHER At a time when the value of some of the Basket Indices increases, the value of other Basket Indices may not increase as much or may decline. Therefore, in calculating the Final Basket Level, increases in the value of one or more of the Basket Indices may be moderated, offset or more than offset, by lesser increases or declines in the value of the other Basket Indices.
- NO COUPON OR DIVIDEND PAYMENTS OR VOTING RIGHTS As a holder of the Securities, you will not receive coupon payments, and you will not have voting rights or rights to receive cash dividends or other distributions or other rights that holders of the component stocks underlying the Basket Indices would have.
- **LACK OF LIQUIDITY** The Securities will not be listed on any securities exchange. Deutsche Bank AG or its affiliates intend to offer to purchase the Securities in the secondary market but are not required to do so and may cease such market-making activities at any time.
- WE AND OUR AFFILIATES AND AGENTS MAY PUBLISH RESEARCH, EXPRESS OPINIONS
  OR PROVIDE RECOMMENDATIONS THAT ARE INCONSISTENT WITH INVESTING IN OR
  HOLDING THE SECURITIES. ANY SUCH RESEARCH, OPINIONS OR RECOMMENDATIONS
  COULD AFFECT THE LEVEL OF THE BASKET TO WHICH THE SECURITIES ARE LINKED OR
  THE MARKET VALUE OF THE SECURITIES
- **POTENTIAL CONFLICTS** We and our affiliates play a variety of roles in connection with the issuance of the Securities, including acting as calculation agent and hedging our obligations under the Securities. In performing these duties, the economic interests of the calculation agent and other affiliates of ours are potentially adverse to your interests as an investor in the Securities.



- MANY ECONOMIC AND MARKET FACTORS WILL AFFECT THE VALUE OF THE
   SECURITIES In addition to the level of the Basket on any day, the value of the Securities will
   be affected by a number of complex and interrelated economic and market factors that may
   either offset or magnify each other.
- THE U.S. TAX CONSEQUENCES OF AN INVESTMENT IN A SECURITY ARE UNCLEAR There is no direct legal authority regarding the proper U.S. tax treatment of a Security, and we do not plan to request a ruling from the IRS. Consequently, significant aspects of the tax treatment of a Security are uncertain, and no assurance can be given that the IRS or a court will agree with the treatment described herein. If the IRS were successful in asserting an alternative treatment, the timing and/or character of income on a Security might differ materially and adversely from the description herein. You should consult your tax adviser regarding the U.S. federal income tax consequences of an investment in a Security (including alternative treatments), as well as any tax consequences arising under the laws of any state, local or non-U.S. taxing jurisdiction. You should review carefully the sections of the accompanying pricing supplement product supplement entitled "Certain U.S. Federal Income Tax Consequences."



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